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## LETTER

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Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia

Sir:

Responsive to Office Action of March 23, 2005, a Renewed Brief on Appeal is submitted herewith.

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This Brief on Appeal has been drafted in accordance with the Examiner's requirements as expressed in the above mentioned Office Action.

Respectfully submitted,

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